Asma al Husna

اَلاسْمَاءُ الْحُسناى

- The Most Beautiful Names of God

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و لِلَّهِ الأسمآءُ الْحسنَى فَادعوه بِها
"Allah's are the Most Beautiful Names, so call Him with them"
[7:180]

الَّذِي اللَّهُ هُوَ إِلَّا إِلَهَ ال هُوَ He is Allah, there is none worthy of worship except for Him					
000	Allah	The God	اللَّه	The only one Almighty. He alone is worthy of worship	(1:1)(3:18)
001	Ar-Rahman	The Beneficent	الرَّحْمَنُ	He who wills goodness and mercy for all His creatures	(1:3)(17:110)
002	Ar-Rahim	The Merciful	الرَّحِيمُ	He who acts with extreme kindness	(2:163)(3:31)(4:100)(5:3)
003	Al-Malik	The Eternal Lord	الْمَلِكُ	The Sovereign Lord, The One with the complete Dominion, the One Whose Dominion is clear from imperfection	(20:114)(23:116)(59:23)(62:1)
004	Al-Quddus	The Most Sacred	الْقُدُّوسُ	The One who is pure from any imperfection and clear from children and adversaries	(59:23)(62:1)
005	As-Salam	The Embodiment of Peace	السَّلاَمُ	The One who is free from every imperfection.	(59:23)

006	Al-Mu'min	The Infuser of Faith	الْمُؤْمِنُ	The One who witnessed for Himself that no one is God but Him. And He witnessed for His believers that they are truthful in their belief that no one is God but Him	(59:23)
007	Al-Muhaymin	The Preserver of Safety	الْمُهَيْمِنُ	The One who witnesses the saying and deeds of His creatures	(59:23)
008	Al-'Aziz	The Mighty One	الْعَزِيزُ	The Strong, The Defeater who is not defeated	(3:6)(4:158)(9:40)(48:7)
009	Al-Jabbar	The Omnipotent One	الْجَبَّارُ	The One that nothing happens in His Dominion except that which He willed	(59:23)
010	Al-Mutakabbir	The Dominant One	الْمُتَكَبِّرُ	The One who is clear from the attributes of the creatures and from resembling them.	(59:23)
011	Al-Khaaliq	The Creator	الْخَالِقُ	The One who brings everything from non-existence to existence	(6:102)(13:16)(39:62)(40:62)(59:24)
012	Al-Baari'	The Evolver	الْبَارِئُ	The Maker, The Creator who has the Power to turn the entities.	(59:24)
013	Al-Musawwir	The Flawless Shaper	الْمُصَوِّرُ	The One who forms His creatures in different pictures.	(59:24)
014	Al-Ghaffaar	The Great Forgiver	الْغَفَّارُ	The Forgiver, The One who forgives the sins of His slaves time and time again.	(20:82)(38:66)(39:5)(40:42)(71:10)
015	Al-Qahhaar	The All-Prevailing One	الْقَهَّارُ	The Dominant, The One who has the perfect Power and is not unable over anything.	(13:16)(14:48)(38:65)(39:4)(40:16)

016	Al-Wahhab	The Supreme Bestower	الْوَهَّابُ	The One who is Generous in giving plenty without any return. He is everything that benefits whether Halal or Haram.	(3:8)(38:9)(38:35)
017	Ar-Razzaq	The Total Provider	الرَّزَّاقُ	The Sustainer, The Provider.	(51:58)
018	Al-Fattah	The Supreme Solver	الْفَتَّاحُ	The Opener, The Reliever, The Judge, The One who opens for His slaves the closed worldy and religious matters.	(34:26)
019	Al-'Alim	The All-Knowing One	العَلِيمُ	The Knowledgeable; The One nothing is absent from His knowledge	(2:158)(3:92)(4:35)(24:41)(33:40)
020	Al-Qaabid	The Restricting One	الْقَابِضُ	The Constricter, The Withholder, The One who constricts the sustenance by His wisdomand expands and widens it with His Generosity and Mercy.	(2: 245)
021	Al-Baasit	The Extender	الْبَاسِطُ	The Englarger, The One who constricts the sustenance by His wisdomand expands and widens it with His Generosity and Mercy.	(2: 245)
022	Al-Khaafid	The Reducer	الْخَافِضُ	The Abaser, The One who lowers whoever He willed by His Destruction and raises whoever He willed by His Endowment.	(95:5)
023	Ar-Raafi'	The Elevating One	الرَّافِعُ	The Exalter, The Elevator, The One who lowers whoever He willed by His Destruction and raises whoever He willed by His Endowment.	(58:11)(6:83)

024	Al-Mu'izz	The Honourer-Bestower	مُعِزُّالْ	He gives esteem to whoever He willed, hence there is no one to degrade Him; And He degrades whoever He willed, hence there is no one to give Him esteem.	(3:26)
025	Al-Mudhill	The Abaser	الْمُذِلُّ	The Dishonorer, The Humiliator, He gives esteem to whoever He willed, hence there is no one to degrade Him; And He degrades whoever He willed, hence there is no one to give Him esteem.	(3:26)
026	As-Sami	The All-Hearer	السَّمِيعُ	The Hearer, The One who Hears all things that are heard by His Eternal Hearing without an ear, instrument or organ.	(2:127)(2:256)(8:17)(49:1)
027	Al-Basir	The All-Seeing	الْبَصِيرُ	The All-Noticing, The One who Sees all things that are seen by His Eternal Seeing without a pupil or any other instrument.	(4:58)(17:1)(42:11)(42:27)
028	Al-Hakam	The Impartial Judge	الْحَكَمُ	The Judge, He is the Ruler and His judgment is His Word.	(22:69)
029	Al-'Adl	The Embodi-ment of Justice	الْعَدْلُ	The Just, The One who is entitled to do what He does.	(6:115)
030	Al-Latif	The Knower of Subtleties	اللَّطِيفُ	The Subtle One, The Gracious, The One who is kind to His slaves and endows upon them.	(6:103)(22:63)(31:16)(33:34)
031	Al-Khabir	The All-Aware One	الْخَبِيرُ	The One who knows the truth of things.	(6:18)(17:30)(49:13)(59:18)

032	Al-Halim	The Clement One	الْحَلِيمُ	The Forebearing, The One who delays the punishment for those who deserve it and then He might forgive them.	(2:235)(17:44)(22:59)(35:41)
033	Al-'Adheem	The Magnific-ent One	الْعَظِيمُ	The Great One, The Mighty, The One deserving the attributes of Exaltment, Glory, Extolement,and Purity from all imperfection.	(2:255)(42:4)(56:96)
034	Al-Ghafuur	The Great Forgiver	الْغَفُورُ	The All-Forgiving, The Forgiving, The One who forgives a lot.	(2:173)(8:69)(16:110)(41:32)
035	Ash-Shakuur	The Acknowle-dging One	الشَّكُورُ	The Grateful, The Appreciative, The One who gives a lot of reward for a little obedience.	(35:30)(35:34)(42:23)(64:17)
036	Al-'Ali	The Sublime One	الْعَلِيُّ	The Most High, The One who is clear from the attributes of the creatures.	(4:34)(31:30)(42:4)(42:51)
037	Al-Kabir	The Great One	الْكَبِيرُ	The Most Great, The Great, The One who is greater than everything in status.	(13:9)(22:62)(31:30)
038	Al-Hafidh	The Guarding One	الْحَفِيظُ	The Preserver, The Protector, The One who protects whatever and whoever He willed to protect.	(11:57)(34:21)(42:6)
039	Al-Muqit	The Sustaining One	الْمُقِيتُ	The Maintainer, The Guardian, The Feeder, The One who has the Power.	(4:85)
040	Al-Hasib	The Reckoning One	الْحسِيبُ	The Reckoner, The One who gives the satisfaction.	(4:6)(4:86)(33:39)
041	Aj-Jalil	The Majestic One	الْجَلِيلُ	The Sublime One, The Beneficent, The One who is attributed with	(55:27)(39:14)(7:143)

				greatness of Power and Glory of status.	
042	Al-Karim	The Bountiful One	الْكَرِيمُ	The Generous One, The Gracious, The One who is attributed with greatness of Power and Glory of status.	(27:40)(82:6)
043	Ar-Raqib	The Watchful One	الرَّقِيبُ	The Watcher, The One that nothing is absent from Him. Hence it's meaning is related to the attribute of Knowledge.	(4:1)(5:117)
044	Al-Mujib	The Respond-ing One	الْمُجِيبُ	The Responsive, The Hearkener, The One who answers the one in need if he asks Him and rescues the yearner if he calls upon Him.	(11:61)
045	Al-Waasi'	The All-Pervading One	الْوَاسِعُ	The Vast, The All-Embracing, The Knowledgeable.	(2:268)(3:73)(5:54)
046	Al-Hakim	The Wise One	الْحَكِيمُ	The Wise, The Judge of Judges, The One who is correct in His doings.	(31:27)(46:2)(57:1)(66:2)
047	Al-Waduud	The Loving One	الْوَدُودُ	The One who loves His believing slaves and His believing slaves love Him. His love to His slaves is His Will to be merciful to them and praise them	(11:90)(85:14)
048	Al-Majid	The Glorious One	الْمَجِيدُ	The Most Glorious One, The One who is with perfect Power, High Status, Compassion, Generosity and Kindness.	(11:73)
049	Al-Ba'ith	The Infuser of New Life	الْبَاعِثُ	The Reserrector, The Raiser (from death), The One who resurrects His slaves after death for reward and/or	(22:7)

				punishment.	
050	Ash-Shahid	The All Observing Witness	الشَّهِيدُ	The Witness, The One who nothing is absent from Him.	(4:166)(22:17)(41:53)(48:28)
051	Al-Haqq	The Embodiment of Truth	الْحَقُّ	The Truth, The True, The One who truly exists.	(6:62)(22:6)(23:116)(24:25)
052	Al-Wakil	The Universal Trustee	الْوَكِيلُ	The Trustee, The One who gives the satisfaction and is relied upon.	(3:173)(4:171)(28:28)(73:9)
053	Al-Qawi	The Strong One	الْقَوِيُّ	The Most Strong, The Strong, The One with the complete Power	(22:40)(22:74)(42:19)(57:25)
054	Al-Matin	The Firm One	الْمَتِينُ	The One with extreme Power which is un-interrupted and He does not get tired.	(51:58)
055	Al-Wali	The Protecting Associate	الْوَلِيُّ	The Protecting Friend, The Supporter.	(4:45)(7:196)(42:28)(45:19)
056	Al-Hamid	The Sole-Laudable One	الْحَمِيدُ	The Praiseworthy, The praised One who deserves to be praised.	(14:8)(31:12)(31:26)(41:42)
057	Al-Muhsi	The All-Enumerating One	الْمُحْصِي	The Counter, The Reckoner, The One who the count of things are known to him.	(72:28)(78:29)(82:10-12)
058	Al-Mubdi'	The Originator	الْمُبْدِئُ	The One who started the human being. That is, He created him.	(10:34)(27:64)(29:19)(85:13)
059	Al-Mu'id	The Restorer	الْمُعِيدُ	The Reproducer, The One who brings back the creatures after death	(10:34)(27:64)(29:19)(85:13)
060	Al-Muhyi	The Maintainer of life	الْمُحْيِي	The Restorer, The Giver of Life, The One who took out a living human from semen that does	(7:158)(15:23)(30:50)(57:2)

				not have a soul. He gives life by giving the souls back to the worn out bodies on the resurrection day and He makes the hearts alive by the light of knowledge.	
061	Al-Mumit	The Inflictor of Death	الْمُمِيتُ	The Creator of Death, The Destroyer, The One who renders the living dead.	(3:156)(7:158)(15:23)(57:2)
062	Al-Hayy	The Eternally Living One	الْحَيُّ	The Alive, The One attributed with a life that is unlike our life and is not that of a combination of soul, flesh or blood.	(2:255)(3:2)(25:58)(40:65)
063	Al-Qayyuum	The Self-Subsisting One	الْقَيُّومُ	The One who remains and does not end.	(2:255)(3:2)(20:111)
064	Al-Wajid	The Pointing One	الْوَاجِدُ	The Perceiver, The Finder, The Rich who is never poor. Al-Wajd is Richness.	(38:44)
065	Al-Majid	The All-Noble One	الْمَاجِدُ	The Glorious, He who is Most Glorious.	()
066	Al-Wahid	The Only One	الْواحِدُ	The Unique, The One, The One without a partner	(2:163)(5:73)(9:31)(18:110)
067	Al-Ahad	The Sole One	اَلاَحَدُ	The One	(112:1)
068	As-Samad	The Supreme Provider	الصَّمَدُ	The Eternal, The Independent, The Master who is relied upon in matters and reverted to in ones needs.	(112:2)
069	Al-Qaadir	The Omni-potent One	الْقَادِرُ	The Able, The Capable, The One attributed with Power.	(6:65)(36:81)(46:33)(75:40)

070	Al-Muqtadir	The All Authorit-ative One	الْمُقْتَدِرُ	The Powerful, The Dominant, The One with the perfect Power that nothing is withheld from Him.	(18:45)(54:42)(54:55)
071	Al-Muqaddim	The Expediting One	الْمُقَدِّمُ	The Expediter, The Promoter, The One who puts things in their right places. He makes ahead what He wills and delays what He wills.	()
072	Al-Mu'akh-khir	The Procrast-inator	الْمُؤَخِّرُ	The Delayer, the Retarder, The One who puts things in their right places. He makes ahead what He wills and delays what He wills.	(71:4)
073	Al-Awwal	The Very First	الأوَّلُ	The First, The One whose Existence is without a beginning.	(57:3)
074	Al-Akhir	The Infinite Last One	الآخِرُ	The Last, The One whose Existence is without an end.	(57:3)
075	Adh-Dhahir	The Percept-ible	الظَّاهِرُ	The Manifest, The One that nothing is above Him and nothing is underneath Him, hence He exists without a place. He, The Exalted, His Existence is obvious by proofs and He is clear from the delusions of attributes of bodies.	(57:3)
076	Al-Batin	The Impercept-ible	الْبَاطِنُ	The Hidden, The One that nothing is above Him and nothing is underneath Him, hence He exists without a place. He, The Exalted, His Existence is obvious by proofs and He is clear from the delusions of attributes of bodies.	(57:3)

077	Al-Wali	The Holder of Supreme Authority	الْوَالِي	The Governor, The One who owns things and manages them.	(13:11)(22:7)
078	Al-Muta'ali	The Extremely Exalted One	الْمُتَعَالِي	The Most Exalted, The High Exalted, The One who is clear from the attributes of the creation.	(13:9)
079	Al-Barr	The Fountain-Head of Truth	الْبَرُّ	The Source of All Goodness, The Righteous, The One who is kind to His creatures, who covered them with His sustenance and specified whoever He willed among them by His support, protection, and special mercy.	(52:28)
080	At-Tawwab	The Ever-Acceptor of Repent-ance	التَّوَّابُ	The Relenting, The One who grants repentance to whoever He willed among His creatures and accepts his repentance.	(2:128)(4:64)(49:12)(110:3)
081	Al-Muntaqim	The Retaliator	الْمُنْتَقِمُ	The Avenger, The One who victoriously prevails over His enemies and punishes them for their sins. It may mean the One who destroys them.	(32:22)(43:41)(44:16)
082	Al-'Afuw	The Supreme Pardoner	العَفُوُّ	The Forgiver, The One with wide forgiveness.	(4:99)(4:149)(22:60)
083	Ar-Ra'uf	The Benign One	الرَّؤُوفُ	The Compassionate, The One with extreme Mercy. The Mercy of Allah is His will to endow upon whoever He willed among His creatures.	(3:30)(9:117)(57:9)(59:10)

084	Malik-ul-Mulk	The Eternal Possessor of Sovereign-ty	مَالِكُ الْمُلْكِ	The One who controls the Dominion and gives dominion to whoever He willed.	(3:26)
085	Dhul-Jalali wal-Ikram	The Possessor of Majesty and Honour	دُو الْجَلاَلِ وَ الإكْرَامِ	The Lord of Majesty and Bounty, The One who deserves to be Exalted and not denied.	(55:27)(55:78)
086	Al-Muqsit	The Just One	الْمُقْسِطُ	The Equitable, The One who is Just in His judgment.	(7:29)(3:18)
087	Aj-Jami'	The Assembler of Scattered Creations	الْجَامِعُ	The Gatherer, The One who gathers the creatures on a day that there is no doubt about, that is the Day of Judgment.	(3:9)
088	Al-Ghani	The Self-Sufficient One	الْغَنِيُّ	The One who does not need the creation.	(3:97)(39:7)(47:38)(57:24)
089	Al-Mughni	The Bestower of Sufficien-cy	الْمُغْنِي	The Enricher, The One who satisfies the necessities of the creatures.	(9:28)
090	Al-Mani'	The Preventer	المَانِعُ	The Withholder.	(67:21)
091	Ad-Darr	The Distressor	الضَّارَّ	The One who makes harm reach to whoever He willed and benefit to whoever He willed.	(6:17)
092	An-Nafi'	The Bestower of Benefits	النَّافِعُ	The Propitious, The One who makes harm reach to whoever He willed and benefit to whoever He willed.	()
093	An-Nur	The Prime Light	النُّورُ	The Light, The One who guides.	(24:35)

094	Al-Hadi	The Provider of Guidance	الْهَادِي	The Guide, The One whom with His Guidance His belivers were guided, and with His Guidance the living beings have been guided to what is beneficial for them and protected from what is harmful to them.	(25:31)
095	Al-Badi'	The Unique One	الْبَدِيعُ	The Incomparable, The One who created the creation and formed it without any preceding example.	(2:117)(6:101)
096	Al-Baqi	The Ever Surviving One	الْبَاقِي	The Everlasting, The One that the state of non-existence is impossible for Him.	(55:27)
097	Al-Warith	The Eternal Inheritor	الْوَارِثُ	The Heir, The One whose Existence remains.	(15:23)
098	Ar-Rashid	The Guide to Path of Rectitude	الرَّشِيدُ	The Guide to the Right Path, The One who guides.	(2:256)
099	As-Sabuur	The Extensive-ly Enduring One	الصَّبُورُ	The Patient, The One who does not quickly punish the sinners.	()

Muhammad (salAllahu alayhi wasalam) said: 'Allah the Most High has ninety-nine names. He who retains them in his memory will enter Paradise'

He (salAllahu alayhi wasalam) also said: 'No-one is afflicted by distress or anxiety then invokes Allah with this supplication, but Allah will take away his distress and grant him happiness instead'

According to Islamic traditions, Muhammad (salAllahu alayhi wasalam) used to call Allah by all his names: 'Allahumma inni ad'uka bi asma'ika al-husna kulliha': O Allah! I invoke you with all of your beautiful names.
[narrated by Ibn Majah, book of Du'a; and by Imam Malik in his Muwatta', Kitab al-Shi'r.]

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